



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q66048

Eric Yijing ZHANG, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/914,650

Group Art Unit: 1731

Confirmation No.: 9665

Examiner: Anna L. Kinney

Filed: February 27, 2002

For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING BLEACHED MECHANICAL AND
CHEMITHERMOMECHANICAL PULP

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of June 28, 2005 to December 28, 2005.

Please charge the statutory fee of \$1020.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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